

The Alderson News

Volume 5

ALDERSON, ALBERTA, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 14th, 1916

No 46

Beginning NEXT SATURDAY
we will give a
10 per cent discount

on all cash sales of DRY GOODS,
BOOTS and SHOES, in fact every-
thing that we handle except Groceries
and Provisions. It must be cash
to get the DISCOUNT.

With the arrival of a few more
orders that we have on the road our
stock will be very near what we
want it to be. If you consider qual-
ity our prices are right. We want
your business and we are going to
give you such service and prices as
will bring it to us.

N. E. Stuart & Co.

This Space Is For Sale

HERE WE ARE

open for accommodation of all kinds. And our
prices are right

All rooms steam heated.

Rooms by the week. Top Floor, for one \$3, for
two \$5.

Rooms, single nights, 50c to 1.00

Meals, 35c, 50c up

Meal Tickets 7.00

We also have Billiard and Pool Tables in con-
nection.

Alberta Hotel

LOCALS

Resolved that the Tractor is more
Practical for farm work in this dis-
trict than the Horse is the subject
of debate at the United Church on
Friday evening Dec. 16th. Messrs
Aron Gish and Walter Gish will
talk for the Tractor and Frank E.
McDiarmid and Dr McEwen for
the Horse.

Goehring can supply you good
meat. Read his ad.

The Palace is the place to get
suits on your Smokers Supplies for
Xmas. Pipes, Pouches, Cigars, Etc.
The best assortment in town.

Remember the Big Public Auction
on Wednesday Dec 20th conducted
by Harry W Johnson. Attend the
Sale. Do your Xmas Shopping and
Get De Big Feed that Day.

Roy Franklin of the Union Bank
expects shortly to be transferred to
another branch of the bank. Roy's
middle name is Popular. He will
certainly be missed.

The ladies of the W A express
themselves as immensely pleased over
the success scored by their Sale of
work and Mikado Tea in the
Johnson Hall last Saturday. The
proceeds amounted to over \$100.00
In the evening the Chrysanthemums
were auctioned for the Red Cross
and brought in \$5.00 for the cause.

Messrs Moore, Thomas, and Fran-
kin got up a jolly little dance last
Saturday night in the Adanac Par-
lour.

Birton McDiarmid and Egbert
Jones attended the Battle of the
Somme Picture at the Hat last Fri-
day.

Mr and Mrs. W G Scollard were
given a jolly send off at the depot
Wednesday, when they left for an
extended trip to Chicago.

Mr and Mrs Frank Shields leave
on Saturday to visit friends in Chi-
cago and other points east.

Red Cross Dance at Suffield on
New Year's Day.

It is beginning to look already
as if this winter might be known
as the winter of the big snow.

T L Owens of Suffield paid the
News a visit on Wednesday.

The Ladies Aid of Bluegrass are
holding a Sale Of Work and Chick-
en Pie Supper at the home of Mrs.
C Benjamin on Saturday, Dec. 16
beginning at 2 P M. Admission Ad-
ults 35 and Children 10 c.

Mr and Mrs A McIntosh and
little daughter and Orville McIntosh
left Monday to spend the winter at
Tilbury, Ont. Messrs McIntosh
will bring back a car of horses in
the Spring.

Mrs O J Wood who recently un-
derwent an operation at the Gen-
eral Hospital, Medicine Hat has
returned home and is regaining her
health.

ALDERSON PATRIOTIC FUND

SUBSCRIPTIONS TO DATE	
Capt. C. S. Pingle	\$ 50.00
Johnson Bros.	50.00
S. F. McEwen	50.00
O. J. Wood	50.00
F. J. Brown	50.00
W. M. Cotter	50.00
A. J. Drummond	50.00
N. E. Stuart	50.00
F. C. Woolven	25.00
Chas. Bisdell	10.00
W. D. MacKay	25.00
R. H. Thornton	25.00
D. Giver	5.00
Jno. Engler	15.00
C. P. Haring	5.00
C F Starr Lumber Co	50.00
D A Lefth	5.00
Wm McLaugh	10.00
C. R. roughly	5.00
Severit Myhre	5.00
Didrik Langner	5.00
A Lee	2.00
M J Doyle	5.00
Parkari Bros	25.00
J M Foughty	25.00
P F O'Neil	1.00
Jno Wray	5.00
Al Cole	1.00
Peder Larson	2.00
Farmers Co Op Elevator	20.00
A Friend	1.00
O Frisley	15.00
C Rockwell	5.00
Edna McIntosh	1.00
T H Harris	25.00
F. J. Kamp, Tide Lake	5.00
J M Foughty	25.00
Herbert Maynard	15.00
D Giles	1.00
Ed Edmunds	2.00
School children on %	8.00

Editor's Note This List is in
complete.

G E Drummond of Champion is
visiting his brother, A J Drum-
mond.

J M Caines left on Wednesday
for an extended visit with friends
at Kingston, Ont.

Several changes are taking place
this week on the staff of N E Stuart
and Co. Neil Henderson who has been
manager at the elevator will take
the position in the store now held
by Mr. Churchill, who is taking a
position at Millicent. Lloyd Shields
will be Elevator Man.

Mrs W L Stevens spent last week
end at Medicine Hat.

The returns from the King Mun-
icipality election on Monday are
not completely known in town yet as
the Tripola poll is not reported.
The 6 candidates who are leading are
C E Cole, Sr. 45, A F Foster, 32,
H E Kimball, 62 C Rasmussen, 66
A Trueman 36 C Thomas 45.

NOMINATIONS
About a dozen ratepayers turned
out to the nomination proceedings
on Monday evening. V E Starr is
Returning Officer.

The following were placed in nom-
ination in the order published, W J
Hall, Rev T Taylor, G M Thomp-
son, F E McDiarmid, C F Starr,
Herbert Johnson, Al Cole, W M
Cotter, W G Scollard. The News is
informed that Messrs Scollard, Starr
and Cotter have formally with-
drawn from the contest. Voting is
to be carried out Monday at the
Clerk's Office between the hours of
2 P M and 8 P M

Lane's Studio

Wishes to inform its many Alderson patrons that
there is still an opportunity to have their photo-
graph taken for XMAS. We will finish all photo-
graphs taken up to three days before XMAS for
XMAS, however we ask you to have your photo
taken as early as convenient. Special folders and
prices for XMAS PHOTOGRAPHS. Photos taken
day and night.

Studio, Dixon Block, corner 6th Avenue and 3rd
Street. MEDICINE HAT. Phone 3305.

LANE

Medicine Hat's Leading Photographer.



SANTA CLAUS HAS COME TO OUR STORE.
HE KNOWS THE REPUTATION OF OUR STORE
AND PUT ON OUR SELVES CHRISTMAS GOODS
FOR ALL.

THINK A WHILE AND RECOUNT THE GIFTS
WHICH YOU HAVE RECEIVED. THEY MADE
YOU HAPPY. THEN MAKE OTHERS HAPPY.
GIVE THEM CHRISTMAS PRESENTS; ALSO
BUY YOURSELF SOME NEW THINGS.
PLEASE COME IN NOW TO DO YOUR
CHRISTMAS BUYING.

F. J. BROWN

**Did you ever see our
Congoleum Art Rugs?**

They are beautiful in coloring and pattern. Are
9x12 feet in size, large enough for any ordinary
room and will last for years.

We also have some fine heating
stoves and ranges. Call and see
them.

F. E. McDIARMID

**HEAD-
QUARTERS
FOR
LUMBER**

Atlas Lumber Co.

Yards at ALDERSON and SUFFIELD

THE ALDERSON NEWS

ALDERSON, ALBERTA

Published in the interests of Alderson and district every Thursday by
W. D. MacKAY, Proprietor.

Card of thanks, 50 cents. Local ads where admission is charged, at half price.
Among reading matter, 10¢ per line first insertion, 5¢ per line each following insertion.
Announcements of entertainments, etc., 10¢ per line each subsequent insertion.
Display advertising rates on application.

SUBSCRIPTION: \$1.50 per year

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 14TH, 1916

MONDAY'S ELECTION

There will be an election on Monday evening for the Village Council. The candidates who have been nominated and had not withdrawn at Press time are listed in another column. There was a good turnout of ratepayers at the nomination proceedings of Monday and an interesting contest is promised. We think any of the gentlemen nominated should be given a chance to try their hand on the council but as only three are to be elected it is up to the ratepayers to make the best choice possible. The old question of a gas well it is expected will come before this next council. It may prove to be the busiest council the village has yet elected. Get out Monday between the hours and cast your ballot for a good council.

Peace?

Germany is suing for peace but about all they appear to be getting is a piece of Great Britain's mind.

Horses For Sale

Broke mares and geldings weighing from 1000 to 1400 lbs. These horses will be shown at AL COLE'S corral every Saturday beginning Saturday, Dec. 9th. Can be seen at my place one and one half miles from Alderson at all times.

O. C. LOCKREM

IF

You want to be sure of the Milk Supply
Give your orders to
Alderson Dairy Farm
H. Von Wilucki, Prop.

Alderson Meat Market

FRESH MEATS OF ALL KINDS

Our Prices are Reasonable.
We can prove it.

Cash Paid for Beef Hides.

HANSON BROS., Proprietors.

The Price of Newspapers

The increase in the price of printing paper has become so serious that publishers are getting together to devise measures to meet the situation. Many have already increased their subscription rates and some have forced to suspend publication.

We are advised, however, by the publishers of The Family Herald and Weekly Star of Montreal that for the present, anyway, there will be no increase in the price of that paper, and we are permitted to say that The Family Herald and Weekly Star along with The Alderson News for the small sum of \$2.25, that is, for a year's subscription to each paper.

The offer is good only until November 30, 1916, as it may be found necessary to make a change then.

The Publishers of the Family Herald and Weekly Star notwithstanding the enormous increase in cost of production, have decided to spend more money than ever, improving the paper and to give the largest army of readers greater value than ever.

A full year's subscription to The Alderson News and The Family Herald and Weekly Star will cost only \$2.25, provided orders are received before November 30, 1916. Send your subscription to this office.

The Alberta Farmers' Co-operative Elevator Company Limited

was organized by the farmers of the Province of Alberta in 1913—its growth has been phenomenal.

There are now 102 Elevators equipped to handle your grain. At any time your Company is in a position to make you track quotations—to handle your grain on consignment, or to give you by letter, wire or telephone the fullest information regarding prices and conditions. And remember it is your own Company co-operative in its work, organized to help, giving at all times prompt service, courteous attention, quick returns.

SEE OUR AGENT

The Alberta Farmers' Co-operative
Elevator Company Limited
320-340 Lougheed Building - - - Calgary

LOANING LIBRARY.

The following books have been placed in the News-Loan Library and may be had for periods of two week per for the nominal cost of 10 cents:

By Gene Stratton Porter.
At the Foot of the Rainbow
Laddie.
Michael O'Halloran.
A Girl of The Timberlost.
Freckles.
The Harvester.

By John Fox, Jr.
The Trail of the Lonesome Pine
The Shepherd of Kingdom Come.
Crittenden.
A Mountain Boy.
The Kentuckians.
Christmas Eve on Longmore.

By Booth Tarkington.
The Gentleman from Indiana.
Monsieur Beaucaire.
The Two Van Rensselaers.
The Flirt.

The Quest of Quasney.
By Morgan Robertson.
The Grain Ship.
Over The Border.
Three Lads and the Golden Bird.
Out on the Pam-Pans. By Henry.
The Lost Island. By Capt. Gilson.

SALE OF LAND BY TENDER

(1) Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to four o'clock in the afternoon of the 8th day of January 1917, for the purchase of the following lands and premises:—The north-west quarter of section one (1) township sixteen (16) range ten (10) West of the Fourth Meridian, in the Province of Alberta.

(2) No tender necessarily accepted.

(3) A certified cheque for 10% of the tender payable to the undersigned must accompany each tender, and which will be returned to each unsuccessful tenderer. Upon acceptance of the tender, an additional 15% will be payable in ninety days from the 8th day of January 1917 without interest, 25% in six months with interest at 8% per annum, and the balance of 60% in one year with interest at 8% per annum.

The lands will be sold subject to the reservations and conditions contained in the existing Certificate of Title:
(4) Further particulars as to terms and conditions of sale can be had from the undersigned or Messrs. Lougheed, Bennett, McLara & Co., Solicitors for the Plaintiff, Clarence Block, Calgary, Alberta.

DATED at Medicine Hat, this 24th day of November A. D. 1916.

S. A. WALLACE,
Clerk of the Court,
Medicine Hat, Alberta.

Approved:—
S. W. W. Quinn
L. J. S. C.

ARE YOU INTERESTED IN PRIVATE Christmas Greeting Cards?

If you should see the Portfolio of the Royal Series Handled Exclusively by the ALDERSON NEWS. Call in, no trouble to show you these, and they are so extremely chic that we know you will give us an order. Then we know you will include them in your Xmas parcels. Satisfactory envelopes for these are supplied free. One Patriotic Card has the following:
"There's no friends like the old friends,
Wherever we may roam.
There's no flag like the old flag
No country like our own."

"The Column" that gets results

HOUSES—For Sale at my place near Royal School, 30 head Mares and Geldings, All A No. 1 stock. Will be broken. See them any time. H. E. Kimball

WANTED—Your shoes to repair. All work guaranteed finished. Parness repairs at reasonable charges. Clothes cleaned and pressed, L. P. Nelson. Shop in the 4 Massey Harris Bldg.

Jack Torgan

Tailor Bassano

Suits Pressed 75¢
Dry Cleaned and Pressed 1.75

Work sent to Bassano will be carefully and promptly done

DAVIDSON & BEATTIE
Barriers, Solicitors, Notaries,
Solicitors for the Quebec
Bank etc.

R. B. Davidson. W. Beattie.
4, Hull Block, MEDICINE HAT
ALBERTA

AUCTION SALES

COL. O. T. GOFF
Crys Auction Sales anywhere in
Alberta.

The man who never says anything.
Star Ranch, Jenner.

UNION BANK OF CANADA

With Cash in the Bank
You Can Buy to
Advantage

You know how everything costs more when you have to buy on credit. Why not practice self-denial for a while if necessary, open a Savings Account in the Union Bank of Canada, and with the money in hand, buy at Cash prices? The discounts will help to swell your bank balance, and you will have made a good start towards financial independence.

Alderson Branch

O. J. WOOD, Manager

A News Want Ad

Sure Gets
Results

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY

WESTBOUND On and after October 29th

No. 3 11.35 a. m.

No. 1 12.35 p. m.

No. 1 stops on flag.

EASTBOUND

No. 4 8.12 p. m.

The Pioneer Dray Line

Specialists in prompt and
efficient transportation.

Bailey Bros., props.

P. O. Box 34

NOTICE

I beg to draw the attention of my former patrons to the fact that I am back in town again to stay, and resume work on the O. K. Dray Line.

When you need hauling or carting done call on me. I promise good and prompt work.

Phone up No. 6.

Geo. Russell, Proprietor O. K. Dray Line

Buy an Irrigated Farm

FROM THE CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY

BROCAUSE

Irrigation makes the farmer independent of rain and insures good crops, not occasionally, but every year. Irrigation makes possible the successful culture of alfalfa, the king of fodders, which insures best returns in dairying and mixed farming.

Irrigation means intense farming and close settlement with all the advantages of a densely populated agricultural community.

Irrigation in the Canadian Pacific Railway Irrigation Block is no longer an experiment, the year 1914 having absolutely demonstrated its success wherever intelligently applied.

You can buy irrigated land from the Canadian Pacific Railway at prices ranging from \$35 to \$75 per acre, with twenty years' to pay and the privilege of a loan of \$2,000.00 for improvements (6% interest); no principal payment at the end of first and second years and no water rental for first year. Assistance is also given in supplying stock in approved instances.

This is the most liberal offer of irrigated farm land on record.

Full particulars from
ALLAN CAMERON
General Superintendent of Lands Desk 37
Canadian Pacific Railway Dept. Natural Resources
CALGARY ALBERTA

FARMERS BIG PUBLIC AUCTION DAY

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 20

ALDERSON, ALBERTA

At Al. Cole's Corral and Livery Barn

Sale starts at 2 p. m. sharp.

Farmers this is the opportunity you have been looking for. Bring in anything you want to sell. Come prepared to purchase something. Already I have listed

18 head of Cattle

22 head of Horses

Some Farm Machinery

Furniture and ODDS and ENDS

Remember I can sell everything from a rat skin to a Ranch. List your stock or goods with me early. I have a place to store furniture if you wish to bring anything in before date of sale.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 20th, 1916

Bring your family and do your XMAS shopping at this time. Alderson merchants are prepared to give you Service, Economy and Satisfaction in large stocks of Xmas goods.

Harry W. Johnson Auctioneer.
Alderson, Alta.

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PROOF

"Science sittings," April 11, 1916, says: "Providence has given us the brains to devise means to compensate Nature for our ill-treatment of her. . . . The means at hand come from natural sources, and we have them embodied in such splendid combination as Dr. Cassell's Instant Relief. We take this preparation as an example because it is so well balanced in the matter of components and so effective," in every direction."

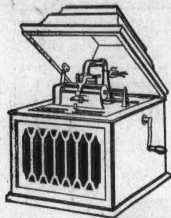
Observer: I noticed you got up and
 gave that lady your seat in the street
 car the other day.
 Observed: Since childhood I have
 respected a woman with a strap in
 her hand. — Pennsylvania Punch
 Bowl.

ood tea"

The Farmer said:

"Well you sure got to give the Boys thet run the Alderson Hotel credit for running a first class joint." That is why I always stop an get

De Big Feed



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Phonographs**

1. Diamond Point Reproducer.
 2. No Needles to Change.
 3. The Superior Tone of the Edison Ambrola is generally conceded.
 4. Get one now and be happy ever afterwards.
 5. Prices and styles to suit any pocket.
 6. Terms arranged if needed.
 7. Large stock of records on hand.
- Write us for full information.

Assiniboia Music Co.
Everything Musical
Hull Block - Medicine Hat

ANNOUNCEMENT

I wish to state to the good people of Alderson and district that I have re-opened the Pioneer Meat Market. I promise a careful, clean and satisfactory service. Our meats are fresh. New shipment just arrived. Give us a trial to-day.

W. GOEHRING

Did you ever hear of
The early bird that
got the worm?

The early shopper also has the best choice. Our stock of Christmas candles in boxes and bulk is now complete but it will not stay complete long.

The Palace Ice Cream Parlor
R. H. THORNTON, Proprietor.



**THE NEW CLUB
POOL HALL**

Invites your patronage.
Largest and best in town.
You will like our service.

BARBER SHOP

STEEL & CARLSON, Proprietors.
Asseney MEDICINE HAT LAUNDRY.
Basket open Monday, returns on Thursday

Red Cross Patriotic Fund

Mrs E K Johnson	\$ 5.00
C Kincaid	1.00
C Harring	2.00
W N Winger	2.00
Wong Wing	2.00
Bessie Calmes	3.00
Mrs Geo Bettle	5.00
Friend	1.00
J A Anderson	1
Jan Reinjas	1
Joe Calmes	1.50
Jeane Lemna	3
F B Flanders	2
Joe Laid	1
Olof Olson	50
L Carmack	75
A Cole	2.50
M W Baitler	1.50
Gus Olson	2.50
W E Mustard	5
I C Lemna	3
D A Leitch	2
O S Carlson	50
P F Onell	1
W H	1
C Benjamin	5
S F Towers	1
W A Pratt	1
A Foster	2
Friend	1
J P Ballard	1
R H Holman	1
W A Irvine	5
A R Gish	1
Donation	1
L Vischer	1
Christenson Bros.	2
Chas Bartles	1
Joe Syttie	1
W M Witham	1
Andy Hill	2.50
Rube Clark	1

Mrs Rudolph Johnson has returned home after spending several weeks in Medicine Hat hospital where she underwent an operation.

NOTICE—Sutherland Ltd. A registered Holstein Bull for service, at my place. Charge \$5.00 H Von Wilucki.

Market Prices

Wheat No. 1 \$1.51—No 2 \$1.48
—No. 3, 1.44 Oats—42c—
Fas. \$2.24.
PROVISIONS Butter, 45c—
Eggs, 50cts.



The gift that gives immediate interest a Christmas morning and sustains that interest through all the days to come. We handle Kodaks exclusively because we can not afford to take chances when we buy—not can you.

Order early for delivery by Xmas.
Kodaks from \$7.00 up.
Brownies from \$1.25 up.
Developing and Printing.
Send for Booklets.

ROBERTS & SON
Suffield Alberta

R Rodman 3
F W Moore 2
Mrs. S F McEwen 5
Scollard and Hegy 5
The News regrets that owing to a rush of Printing orders we are unable to complete this list till our next issue. The central committee at the Hat has officially sent Mrs. Johnson receipts for \$265 50. All subscriptions will positively be acknowledged in the News

School Childrens Entertainment in the United Church Thursday the 21st. Good program arranged. Admission 35 cts.

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AUCTIONEERING**
City Property, Farm and Ranch Land.

Sells Anywhere in Alberta.
Arrangements with Geo. M. Thompson for Alderson District.
Office 342 6th Ave. Medicine Hat.
Phone 2779.

METHODIST SERVICES
Alderson: 7:30 p. m.; Sunday School 11 a. m.
A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend these services.
Fertile Plains 8 p m
Rev. T. Taylor Pastor

**CANADIAN
PACIFIC**

**Winter Excursions,
1916**

TO THE EAST:
On sale daily during December. Final return limit 3 months from date of issue.

TO THE WEST:
On sale Dec. 4 to 9, 1916, Jan. 8 to 13, Feb. 5 to 10, 1917, inclusive. Final return April 30, 1917.

TO THE U. S.:
On sale daily during December. Final return limit three months from date of issue.

TO THE OLD COUNTRY:
With Atlantic Steamship tickets, five months final return limit. On sale during December.

Full information and tickets from any C. P. R. Agent, or R. DAVSON, District Passenger Agent, Calgary

COSMOPOLITAN
Two years for \$2.50. Until January 10, 1917. Single copies will cost you \$6.00.

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Cosmopolitan 1 year
Everybody's each
Maclean's for
Delineator \$5.00

New or renewal and to 4 addresses if you wish.

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"The Magazine Man"
1813 17th St. W., Calgary

HORSES
**CARLOAD OF MARES
AND GELDINGS**

Will be at Cole's Livery Barn after Wednesday December 13. I can guarantee them as first class Stock and you are invited to look them over. Come Early.
P. Mattson, Owner.

F. C. Woollven
The Old Reliable
Pioneer Store

We wish to draw your attention to our
Fall and Winter Goods
Our winter wear goods are certainly worthy of your inspection.
**Warm coats for Men,
Women and Children**

**Xmas goods
are arriving**

Groceries
We carry a fine clean up-to-date stock.

F. C. Woollven

**The American
Hotel**

Under New Management

Meals at all hours.

Up-to-date, Clean Rooms

**Service and Satisfaction
Guaranteed**

Give Us A Trial

E. BROWN
Proprietor

ANNOUNCEMENT

Our patrons are advised that from Dec. 23rd to Jan. 4th our shop will be closed. Your winter work will receive attention on our return. Bring in the machinery you will use in the spring.

Larsen & Ahlstrom
ALDERSON, ALBERTA

**We Manufacture
Harness**

Mr. Farmer you can buy your harness from us at the factory price with only one profit. Why pay a profit for the middle man when you can buy at actual wholesale. Come and see us before you buy. Bring your friends. Bring your money. Bring your catalogues. We will meet them all.

The T. Hutchinson Co. Ltd.,
623 3rd St. Medicine Hat.